

## COUNTY SEAT: NEZPERCE

***I. PEOPLE*****Population**

	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2002</u>
Total	4,118	3,516	3,747	3,721
Per sq. mi.	8.6	7.3	7.8	7.8

	<u>70-80</u>	<u>80-90</u>	<u>90-00</u>	<u>00-02</u>
Population Change (%)	6.5	-14.6	6.6	-0.7

	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
Percent Rural	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percent Urban	0.0	0.0	0.0

**Demographic Component Changes**

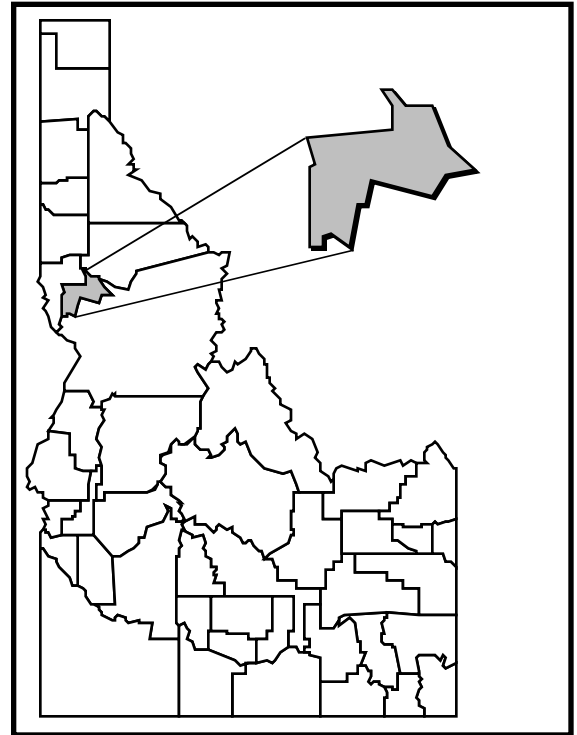
	<u>1970-1980</u>	<u>1980-1990</u>	<u>1990-2000</u>	<u>2000-2002</u>
Births	800	578	418	103
Deaths	400	384	372	91
Net Migration	-100	-796	185	-43
Percent Migration	-3.2	19.3	5.3	-1.1

	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>
Birth Rate	20.4	13.4	11.2	11.3
Fertility Rate	106.3	75.2	65.3	65.9

	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
Median Age	31.4	36.6	42.5
Under 18 Years (%)	30.3	28.2	25.4
18 to 64 Years (%)	56.0	54.4	56.1
65+ Years (%)	13.7	17.5	18.5
Persons Per Household	2.69	2.51	2.39

**Geographic Mobility: 2000**

Persons 5 Years and Older Living in a Different State in 1995 (%)	9.1
Persons 5 Years and Older Living in a Different County in 1995 (%)	23.0



**II. HOUSING**

<b>Housing Units</b>	<b><u>1980</u></b>	<b><u>1990</u></b>	<b><u>2000</u></b>
Total	1,807	1,681	1,795
Mobile Homes, Boat, RV, Van, etc.	199	266	264
Overcrowded Units (1.5+ Persons Per Room)	8	9	4
Units Lacking Some or All Plumbing	40	52	2 *
Total Vacant Units (including Seasonal & Migratory)	297	288	241
<b>Household Composition</b> (Household Size by %)			
1 to 2 Persons	57.7	62.8	68.1
3 to 5 Persons	37.3	34.2	28.8
6 + Persons	5.0	3.0	3.0
<b>Tenure</b>			
Owner Occupied Units	1,115	992	1,159
Renter Occupied Units	395	401	395
<b>Value</b>			
Median Housing Value	\$33,100	\$38,500	\$78,900
Median Rent	\$109	\$164	\$342
<b>Plumbing Facilities</b>			
Public Sewer	1,299	1,167	N.A.
Public Water System or Private Company	1,376	1,263	N.A.
<b>Age of Housing Stock - Year Structures Built</b>			
Number Built 1995 Through March 2000	125		
Number Built 1990 Through 1994	76		
Number Built 1980 Through 1989	132		
Number Built 1970 Through 1979	387		
Number Built 1960 Through 1969	205		
Number Built 1940 Through 1959	385		
Number Built 1939 or Earlier	485		

\* Category changed in Census 2000 to "Lacking Complete Plumbing Facilities"

### III. ECONOMY

#### Employment - Full & Part Time by Place Of Work \*

	<u>1980</u>	<u>1985</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
<b>Total Employment</b>	1,782	1,678	1,751	2,046

<b>Employment By Type</b>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1985</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
Wage & Salary Employment	1,082	987	1,082	1,261
Farm Proprietors	235	240	195	209
Non-Farm Proprietors	465	451	474	576

<b>Employment By Industry</b>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1985</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
Farm	326	286	246	257
Ag. Serv., Forest., Fish. & Other	85	70	50	124
Manufacturing	176	180	226	184
Mining	0	0	(L)	(D)
Construction	39	36	63	(D)
Transport., Comm., & Pub. Util.'s	64	41	75	127
Wholesale Trade	106	106	124	102
Retail Trade	309	275	272	380
Finance, Insur., & Real Estate	125	92	73	133
Services	205	244	243	248
Federal Civilian	50	47	55	38
Federal Military	27	22	22	15
State & Local Government	270	279	298	370

\* Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

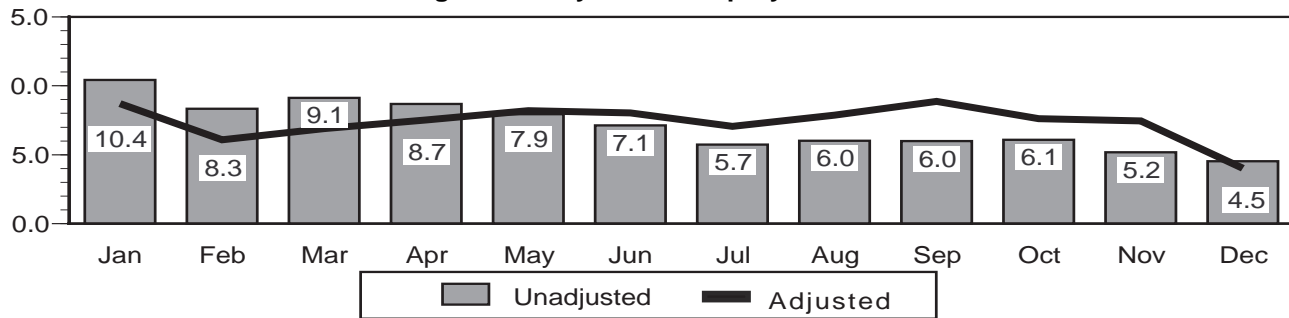
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(L) = Less than 10

## LEWIS

### Labor Force

Average Monthly % Unemployed - 2002



### Annual % Labor Force Unemployed

1980	10.4
1990	8.3
2000	7.7
2001	7.5
2002	7.1

### Percent Females (16+) in Labor Force

1970	30.5
1980	39.5
1990	42.7
2000	49.3

### Local Government Revenues

#### Travel & Convention Room Tax (2%)

	<u>Total Sales</u>	<u>Tax Receipts</u>
FY 1996	\$457,929	\$8,820
FY 1998	\$641,064	\$12,177
FY 2000	\$566,096	\$10,016
FY 2002	\$697,164	\$12,418

#### Property Taxes

NetTaxable Market Value- 2002	\$203,838,876
Property Taxes Budgeted - 2002	\$3,052,071

#### Property Tax As A % Of Market Value - 2002 \*

Urban	1.91312	* After homeowner exemption
Rural	1.29348	

<b>Income</b>	<b><u>1980</u></b>	<b><u>1990</u></b>	<b><u>1995</u></b>	<b><u>2001</u></b>
Per Capita Personal Income	\$8,464	\$17,019	\$17,124	\$22,438
Percent of National Average	83.1%	87.0%	73.6%	73.8%
Percent of State Average	96.9%	107.3%	88.2%	91.6%
Government Transfer Payments (in thousands of dollars)	\$6,205	\$11,185	\$15,434	\$22,053
<b>Business</b>	<b><u>1980</u></b>	<b><u>1985</u></b>	<b><u>1990</u></b>	<b>* <u>2001</u></b>
Total Business Establishments	107	97	104	122
Total Retail Businesses	30	27	30	26

\* 1998 was a major series break caused by change from SIC to NAICS system of categorizing businesses

# **IV. EDUCATION AND SOCIAL INDICATORS**

## **Education Funding Level Per ADA \* - 2000-01**

<b>School District</b>	<b>State Funds</b>	<b>Local &amp; State Funds</b>	<b>All Funds</b>
Highland Joint	\$6,082	\$8,904	\$9,833
Kamiah Joint	\$5,116	\$6,306	\$9,950
Nezperce Joint	\$6,456	\$9,015	\$10,189

## **Education Level \***

	<b>1980</b>	<b>1990</b>	<b>2000</b>
Bachelor's Degree+(%)	11.8	13.2	14.8
High School Graduates+(%)	67.2	78.8	84.2

\* Population age 25 or over

## **Percent Below Poverty**

	<b>1979</b>	<b>1989</b>	<b>1999</b>
Families	8.9	12.3	10.6
Persons	11.8	15.6	12.0

\* Per ADA means per Average Daily Attendance

## **Average Monthly Fourth Quarter Welfare Roll**

	<b><u>1992</u></b>	<b><u>2001</u></b>
Aid to Aged, Blind & Disabled	41	79
Aid to Families with Dependent Children	48	N.A.
Temporary Assistance for Families	N.A.	8
Food Stamp Cases	133	76
Medicaid Cases	259	650

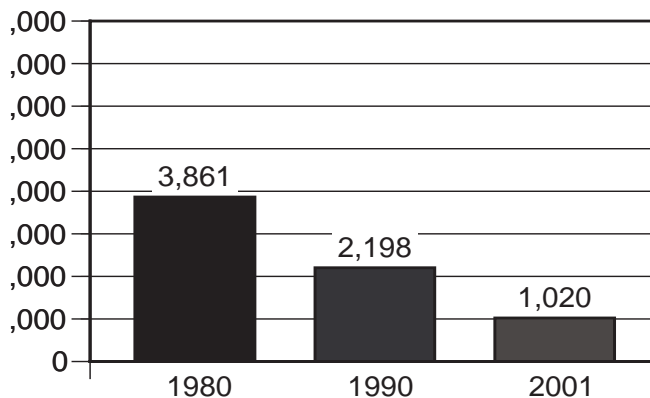
## **Other Social Indicators - 2000**

	<b><u>County</u></b>	<b><u>State</u></b>
Suicide Rate Per 100,000	53.4	12.8
Marriage Rate Per 1,000	5.9	11.6
Divorce Rate Per 1,000	4.3	5.5

## **Health Care - 2001**

	<b><u>Number</u></b>
Physicians per 100,000	28
Number of Hospitals	0
Total Hospital Beds	0

## **Crime - Rate per 100,000**



## **Crime - Number of Offenses**

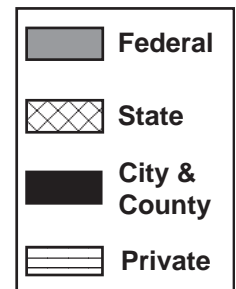
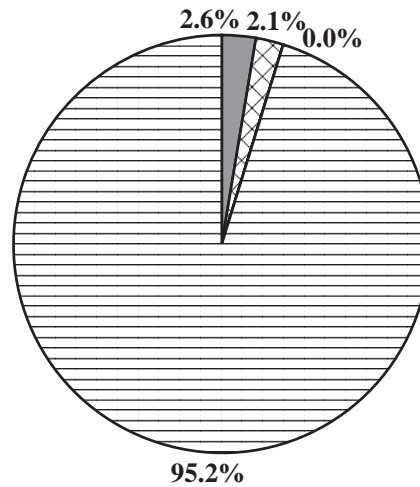
	<b>1980</b>	<b>1990</b>	<b>2001</b>
Murder	0	0	0
Rape	0	0	1
Robbery	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	2	13	3
Burglary	38	29	2
Larceny	107	41	31
Motor Vehicle Theft	11	4	2
Arson	0	0	0

## V. NATURAL RESOURCES

### Land Ownership

	<u>Acres</u>
<b>Federal Land</b>	<b>8,104</b>
BLM	8,094
Nat'l Forests	10
Other	0
<b>State Land</b>	<b>6,588</b>
Endowment Land	2,019
Fish & Game	4,569
Parks & Recreation	0
University of Idaho Land	0
<b>Private Land</b>	<b>291,922</b>
<b>County Land</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Municipal Land</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>306,624</b>

### Percent of Total Land Ownership



<b>Land Use *</b>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Percent Total</u>
Urban Land	400	0.1%
Agricultural	179,000	58.5%
Rangeland	63,700	20.8%
Forest	60,700	19.8%
Water	2,100	0.7%
Wetland	0	0.0%
Barren Land	0	0.0%
Tundra	0	0.0%
Perennial Snow	0	0.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>305,900</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

\* U.S.G.S. land use/cover classification system. The water category and the rounding and estimating of satellite-based data usually results in slightly higher totals for land use.

## VI. AGRICULTURE

### Summary Data - All Farms

<b>Inventory: Farms, Cropland, &amp; Livestock</b>	<b><u>1987</u></b>	<b><u>1992</u></b>	<b><u>1997</u></b>
Total Number, All Farms	191	177	182
Total Acres in Farms	222,624	211,039	193,582
Avg. Farm Size (acres)	1,166	1,192	1,064
Total Farms in Crops	178	150	152
Total Acres in Crops	157,551	150,451	140,160
Cattle and Calves Inventory	6,466	7,040	4,723
Number of Irrigated Farms	7	6	3
Number of Irrigated Acres	(D)	337	(D)

### Farms by Size (Acres)

Under 10	7	3	7
10 to 49	10	10	16
50 to 179	19	24	34
180 to 499	26	23	29
500 to 999	40	38	26
1,000 & Over	89	79	70

### Value of Land & Buildings & Products

Avg. Value of Land and Buildings Per Farm	\$700,958	\$736,744	\$821,575
Avg. Value of Land and Buildings Per Acre	\$535	\$624	\$781
Avg. Value Per Farm of Products Sold	\$107,020	\$110,312	\$110,753

### Principal Occupation of Farm Operators

Farming	143	143	118
Other	48	34	64

(D) = Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms

**VII. MISCELLANEOUS****Motor Vehicles Registered**

	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2001</u>
Cars and Pickups	3,242	3,633	3,829
Other	842	619	1,069
Total Vehicles Per Capita	0.99	1.21	1.35

**Idaho Drivers Licenses in Force**

	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2001</u>
	3,386	2,746	2,815

**Top Place of Work Destinations for Workers in County - 2000** (16 years and over)

<b>Work Destinations</b>	<b>Number</b>
Lewis County	920
Idaho County	210
Nez Perce County	203
Clearwater County	74
Asotin County WA	27
Latah County	13
<b>Total County Workers</b>	<b>1,483</b>

**City Population Trends**

<u>City</u>	<u>1970</u>	<u>1980</u>	<u>1990</u>	<u>2000</u>
Craigmont	554	617	542	556
Kamiah (pt.) *	1,307	1,478	1,154	1,160
Nezperce	555	517	453	523
Reubens	81	87	46	72
Winchester	274	343	262	308

\* Lewis County portion only, 1990 onward

Lewis County is located in north-central Idaho. It ranks 40th among Idaho counties in population and 41st in area. Only 2.6 percent of its land is federally owned, the least of any Idaho county. Agriculture and forest and wood products manufacturing are important to the local economy, and government provides nearly half the non-farm wage and salary employment. Annual average total civilian employment in the county increased 4.5 percent from 1991 to 2001. Major employers include the Idaho Department of Lands, Highland and Nezperce Joint School Districts, Hillco, Inc., Lewiston Grain Growers, U.S. Timber Corporation, Kamiah Mills, Three Rivers Timber Company, Clonningers Thrift, and the U.S. Forest Service.

In mid-August of each year Kamiah celebrates Chief Lookingglass Days. This event is a traditional pow wow by descendants of the Chief of the Nez Perce Tribe.